

MINUTES
CLINTON VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT
June 3, 2019

The meeting of the Clinton Volunteer Fire Department was called to order by Chief Manware at 7:30 p.m.

All stood to recite the Pledge of Allegiance

Minutes from May 6, 2019:

- A motion was made and seconded to approve the minutes of May 6, 2019 as submitted. The motion carried unanimously.

Treasurer's Report:

- A motion was made and seconded to accept the Treasurer's Report as read. The motion carried unanimously.
- At this time, the Treasurer presented the Fire Department and EMS annual drive account balances

Correspondence:

- A card and donation to the Joey Battista Scholarship Fund was received from Mr. and Mrs. Manware

Report of Chiefs:

Chief:

- There were 173 calls for service last month with the breakdown as follows:
 - 118 EMS calls
 - 38 Fire
 - 16 Rescue
- The town budget passed at the first referendum
 - The Department will move forward with their capital projects
- An updated list of all EAS box locations will be posted

Deputy Chief Administration:

- Presented by the Treasurer

Deputy Chief:

- Sign up for tee shirts tonight
- The generator on 954 is out of service
- The members did a good job on the multiple fires over the weekend
 - We provided mutual aid to Old Saybrook and Essex
 - Discussed the fact there are more members at a mutual aid call than to a Clinton call

Deputy Chief EMS:

- Reviewed the number of EMS calls (118) and the number of mutual aid calls
- The ambulances are scheduled for their annual inspections tomorrow, June 4
- Members who attended the EMS Expo will provide training

Assistant Chief:

- The updated drill report for the third quarter has been posted
 - Some members need to make up requirements from the second quarter
- Thanked those members that attended the live burn

Captain Headquarters: No report

Captain Glenwood:

- The quarterly topics are posted

Captain Marine:

- The boat will come out of the water this week

Captain EMS:

- An EMS drill is scheduled for Wednesday, June 5 at 7:00 p.m.

Lt. Company 1:

- The tanker shuttle drill was beneficial at the Essex fire
- Mutual aid towns have asked if Clinton could help them with their drills

Lt. Company 2: No report

Lt. Aerial:

- Leave the upper power switch on

Lt. Rescue:

- If anyone needs a specific drill, let him know

Lt. EMS 946: No report

Lt. EMS 947:

- Opioid reporting is a mandated report and is live
- A new pelvic splint was displayed
 - There will be training on this new device
 - It is a reusable device and should not be thrown out

Lt. EMS 948:

- Try to get the mega movers back

Report of Divisions/Appointed Positions
Communications Coordinator: No report

Engineer: No report

Quartermaster: No report

Junior Company: No report

Fire Police: No report

Auxiliary:

- C. Yudkin has a few fund raising ideas that she will discuss with Chief Manware later

Committee Reports:

Membership: No report

Finance:

- The 2019-2020 Ambulance and Fire budgets have been developed
 - These will be posted and voted on at the July meeting

Ways and Means:

- Summer Bingo is scheduled to start on Saturday, June 8
 - There will be no Bingo on Saturday, June 29
 - The Auxiliary and Juniors should let J. Lewellyn know what function they will be in charge of
- A car wash fund raiser was suggested, but no details have been firmed up
- Let J. Lewellyn or J. Strong know if you have any fund raising ideas

House: No report

Social: No report

Sick and Welfare: No report

By-Laws: No report

Old Business:

- Chief Manware explained that meeting refreshments will be organized by the July meeting

New Business: None

Good of the Department:

- C. Hill is doing the Trailblaze Challenge for Make a Wish and is asking for donations
 - Donation forms were distributed
- Chief Manware received acknowledgement that an ambulance crew did an outstanding job performing their duties, analyzing the situation and immediately transporting the patient to the facility. Had they not done such a great job, the outcome would have been significantly different.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:52 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Wendy McDermott
Clerk

